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For: OPTICAL PICKUP FOR CUTTING OFF OPTICAL NOISE AND OPTICAL RECORDING
AND/OR REPRODUCING APPARATUS USING THE SAME

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION REQUIREMENTS

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 7, 2006, imposing a restriction requirement and an election requirement, Applicants elect to prosecute alleged Invention A, and the alleged species of Group II. Applicants respectfully submit that claims 1-1, 25, and 27-29 read on the species of Group II.

Respectfully submitted,

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